CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

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Public Notice 7-11-49 December 8, 2011

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS BOARD ORDER R7-2012-0004

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board) has prepared Tentative Board Order R7-2012-0004 for Imperial Valley Cheese of California, Cheese Plant and Irrigation Fields, located at 1870 Jeffry Road, El Centro, CA 92243, in Imperial County. The Regional Water Board intends to consider adopting the Tentative Board Order during a Public Hearing that will commence at the time and place indicated:

Date: January 19, 2012

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Colorado River Basin Region

Board Room

73720 Fred Waring Drive, Suite 100

Palm Desert, CA 92260

The Regional Water Board will accept written comments regarding this Tentative Board Order during the thirty (30) day public comment period, which begins December 8, 2011 and ends January 9, 2012. Persons wishing to submit written comments on the Tentative Board Order are requested to do so as soon as possible, but no later than January 9, 2012. Written comments may be faxed to the Regional Water Board offices at (760) 341-6820. Mailed written comments should be sent to the following address:

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Interested persons are invited to attend and express their views orally on this matter at the Public Hearing. The Regional Water Board requests that those persons wishing to speak at the hearing provide a copy of their oral comments in writing before or during the hearing to assure accuracy of the record.

Copies of the Tentative Board Order are available on the Regional Water Board's website at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/coloradoriver/board decisions/

Interested persons requiring a hard copy of the tentative order should contact Hilda Vasquez at (760) 776-8950.

Please bring the foregoing to the attention of any persons known to you who would be interested in this matter.

Any person who is disabled and requires special accommodations to participate in this Public Hearing, please contact Hilda Vasquez at (760) 776-8950 no later than ten (10) days before the scheduled Public Hearing.

If you have questions concerning this matter, please contact Jose Cortez at (760) 776-8963.